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Online Instruction

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Are You Looking For:

- An alternative to studying in the classroom?
- Instruction you can access anytime of the day?
- Convenient way to prepare for the GED test?

If you answered "yes" to these questions, then the GED Online is for you.

http://www.gedillinois.org

What is GED Illinois Online Instruction?

The online learning system is designed to provide students with GED instruction delivered via the Internet.

The system offers those seeking a GED credential,a self-paced resource that can be used anytime from any computer with Internet access. This online study tool can be used free of charge by Illinois GED students. The system is intended to increase students' study options in their quest for successful completion of the GED.

GED students seeking access to the system will be matched up with an adult education teacher, to provide interaction, support, and guidance. The GED Illinois Online Instruction is used in a variety of different ways by adult education programs across the state. Programs can use the online system to deliver instruction to students in the classroom in conjunction with a teacher or out of the classroom at any location with a teacher's online assistance. Contact your local GED program for more details.

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How Do I Access the System?

How do I access the system?

- Through your local adult education program
- From any computer at any location as long as you have internet access
  - Library
  - Home
  - Adult Education Program
  - One Stop
  - Classroom

How Does the System Work?

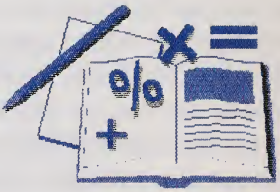
The GED Illinois Online Instructional system has many easy to use functions that provide both independent learning and professional instructional support.

- Anytime access, from any location with a computer and Internet service.
- Pre-surveys and post-tests to position students in the exact course of study they need to prepare for the GED test.
- An adult educator to grade assignments, communicate instructions, and supply feedback to individuals using the system.
- A Help Desk contact to provide technical assistance to students.

FAQ s

Will the system prepare me for the test?

Yes, GED Illinois Online Instruction has been designed to cover all of the areas of the 2002 GED Test. Math, Writing, Reading, Social Studies and Science are all addressed. There is even a section intended to assist students with test taking strategies.



How long does each section take?

Each lesson of GED Illinois Online Instruction will take approximately 50 minutes. Some content requires more instruction and tends to take a little more time, but in either case students using the system can work at their own pace through the online instruction.

If I get stuck, how do I get help?

You can talk to your teacher, e-mail your teacher, and/or contact the GED Illinois Online Instruction's Help Desk.

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Hotline Information

The Illinois Adult Learning Hotline

(800) 321-9511

Providing referral services for students, volunteers and employers to Adult Literacy and Adult Education Programs throughout Illinois. Referral services for GED test preparation classes (English and Spanish) and testing sites are also available. Information on programs registered to provide GED Illinois Online Instruction to students can also be accessed by calling the hotline.

Bilingual operators will be available to assist callers.

Operators' Hours

8:30 am to 4:30 pm • Monday-Friday

Answering Machine

All Other Times (and also when operators are busy answering other calls)

TDD or Voice User Number

(800) 321-9511

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System Contact Information

For information on your local Adult Education and Family Literacy Program contact:

Help Desk
User Services and Support
Center for the Application of Information Technologies
College of Education and Human Services
Western Illinois University
Macomb, IL 61455
Phone:(309) 298-3065
Toll Free:(866) 250-5494
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